

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**RONALD BEST,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**S.C.I. HUNTINGDON, et al.,**

**Defendants.**

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**: CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:19-CV-1599**  
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**: (JUDGE MARIANI)**  
**: (Magistrate Judge Saporito)**  
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**ORDER**

Background of this Order:

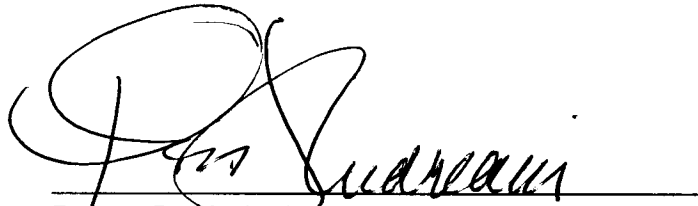
On October 9, 2019, Magistrate Judge Saporito issued a Report and Recommendation (Doc. 11) concerning the above-captioned matter. He recommended that Plaintiff's Complaint (Doc.1) be dismissed without prejudice for failure to state a claim and that Plaintiff be granted leave to file an amended complaint. (Doc. 11 at 18-19.) Plaintiff's document titled "Complaint" (Doc. 13) was docketed in this Court on October 21, 2019. The Court will accept this filing as the amended complaint contemplated in the R&R (Doc. 11 at 18).

**AND NOW, THIS**  **DAY OF NOVEMBER 2019,** upon review of

Magistrate Judge Saporito's Report and Recommendation (R&R) (Doc. 11) for clear error or manifest injustice, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. The R&R (Doc. 11) is **ADOPTED** for the reasons set forth therein;

2. Plaintiff's Complaint (Doc. 1) is **DISMISSED without prejudice**;
3. Plaintiff's "Complaint" (Doc. 14) is accepted as the amended complaint contemplated in the R&R (Doc. 11 at 18);
4. This matter is **REMANDED** to Magistrate Judge Saporito for further proceedings.



Robert D. Mariani  
United States District Judge